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90015.0.1 Reissue

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I believe the inventors named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is described and claimed in patent number 6,421,464, granted July 16, 2002, and for which a reissue patent is sought on the invention entitled Fast Lapped Image Transforms Using Lifting Steps

the specification of which

- ☐ is attached hereto.
- ☒ was filed on July 29, 2003 as reissue application number 10/629,303 and was last amended on October 8, 2006.  
(if applicable)

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56.

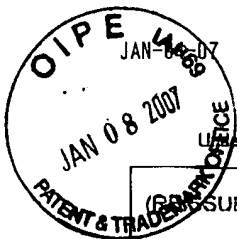
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- ☒ by reason of the patentee claiming more or less than he had the right to claim in the patent.
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The original 11 claims remain in the reissue application. Applicants have added claims 12-23 to correct the error of claiming less than they had the right to claim in original patent. Applicants have determined that it was not necessary to limit the claims to a specific dimension of block intensities as set forth in the original patent. Every error in the patent which was corrected in the present reissue application, and which is not covered by the prior oath(s) and/or declaration(s) submitted in this application, arose without any deceptive intention on the part of the applicant



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